

IN THE
Court of Appeal of the State of California

IN AND FOR THE
Fifth Appellate District

COURTROOM PROCEEDINGS

The court met in its courtroom at 10:00 A.M. Present: Honorable Herbert I. Levy, Acting Presiding Justice; Honorable Gene M. Gomes, Associate Justice; Honorable Brad Hill, Associate Justice; and Leisa V. Biggers, Clerk/Administrator, by Joe G. Lopez, Senior Deputy Clerk.

F048902 People v. Romero

Cause called and argued by Richard Doctoroff, Esq., counsel for appellant and by Kathleen A. McKenna, Deputy Attorney General, counsel for respondent.

Cause ordered submitted.

F050957 In re Xander C., a Minor; Kern County Department of Human Services v. George C.

Cause called and argued by Christopher Blake, Esq., counsel for appellant and by Susan M. Gill, Deputy County Counsel, counsel for respondent.

Cause ordered submitted.

Court recessed until Thursday, February 8, 2007 at 1:30 P.M.

The court reconvened in its courtroom at 1:30 P.M. Present: Honorable Herbert I. Levy, Acting Presiding Justice; Honorable Gene M. Gomes, Associate Justice; Honorable Brad Hill, Associate Justice; and Leisa V. Biggers, Clerk/Administrator, by Jill Rivera, Deputy Clerk.

F049878 Simental et al. v. County of Kern

Cause called and argued by Charles R. Chapman, Esq., counsel for appellants and by Jennifer L. Thurston, Deputy County Counsel, counsel for respondent.

Cause ordered submitted.

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F050440 County of Kern v. Sparks

Cause called and argued by William C. Kuhs, Esq., counsel for appellant and by Paul R. Coble, Esq., and Dean J. Pucci, Esq., counsel for respondent.

Cause ordered submitted.

Court recessed until Friday, February 9, 2007 at 1:30 P.M.

F050741 People v. Gonzales

The above-entitled case is submitted for decision.

F050741 People v. Gonzales

The judgment is affirmed.

By the Court.

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F051492 Powell et al. v. Merck & Co., Inc. et al.

Pursuant to “Appellants’ Motion for Relief from Default,” filed January 12, 2007, the order dismissing the above entitled appeal is vacated; said appeal is reinstated.

If appellants have deposited the full amounts for the preparation of the record on appeal, the Merced County Clerk is authorized to proceed with the preparation of the record on appeal in accordance with the applicable rules of the California Rules of Court.

F050229 People v. Ray

Filed modification of opinion and denying rehearing (no change in judgment). Harris, Acting P.J.

We concur: Cornell, J.; Dawson, J.

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F050396 In re Juan R., a Minor

Counsel having failed to request oral argument in the above-entitled case in accordance with the provisions of a notice mailed to counsel, the case is submitted for decision.

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- F050396** **In re Juan R., a Minor.**
The judgment is affirmed.
By the Court.
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- F050800** **People v. Hernandez**
The above-entitled case is submitted for decision.
- F050800** **People v. Hernandez**
The judgment is affirmed.
By the Court.
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- F050117** **Friends of The Sierra Railroad v. Tuolumne Park & Recreation District etc.**
Filed order granting request for publication of the opinion.
- F494988** **People v. Johnson**
Filed modification of opinion (no change in judgment). Wiseman,
J.
We concur: Vartabedian, Acting P.J.; Gomes, J.
[NOT TO BE PUBLISHED IN OFFICIAL REPORTS]
- F049488** **People v. Johnson**
Appellant's petition for rehearing filed herein is denied.

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F050957 In re Xander C., a Minor

The order terminating parental rights is affirmed.

By the Court.

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F051548 Puga v. WCAB

The petition for writ of review is denied.

By the Court.

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F048742 Grotewold et al., v Campora, Inc. et al.,

Filed modification of opinion (no change in judgment). Ardaiz,
P.J.

We concur: Vartabedian, J.; Gomes, J.

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**F051934 Matthew R. et al., Minors v. The Superior Court of Kern County; Dept. of
Human Services**

F051963 In re Matthew R. et al., Minors

Appellant's motion to consolidate the above-entitled cases is
granted.